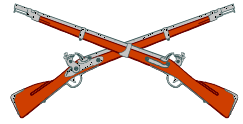




4 FEB 00 BENNING BULLETIN NO. 5



OFFICIAL:

1. GRADUATION:

UNIT	DATE/TIME	LOCATION	GUEST SPEAKER	POC
B Co, 1 st Bn, 38 th IN Regt	10 Feb, 0900	Pomeroy Field Sand Hill	CSM J. Bradley	SSG H. Jordan, 544-9760
A Co, 2-19 th IN Bn	11 Feb, 1000	Kanell Field, Sand Hill		SFC B. Kaiser, 544-8365

2. FIELD OFFICER OF THE DAY/STAFF DUTY OFFICER:

FOD duty is at IN Hall (Rm 650): weekdays, 1600; weekend/holiday, 1600 last duty day; payday activities, 1130.

SDO duty is at IN Hall, EOC Rm W-87, then to Rm 111, weekdays, 1500; weekend/holiday, 1500 last duty day; payday activities, 1200.

DATE	FOD/SDO NAME	ORGANIZATION	PHONE
*5 Feb 00	MAJ Harris, W.	11 th IN Regt	545-1189
*5 Feb 00	CPT Hollar, J.	11 th IN Regt	545-5590
*6 Feb 00	MAJ Krings, D.	ITB	545-9590
*6 Feb 00	CPT Edwards, D.	11 th IN Regt	545-6338
7 Feb 00	MAJ Blaylock, V.	USARSA	545-1840
7 Feb 00	CPT Polanco, J.	RTB	544-7282
8 Feb 00	LTC Castrillo, V.	USARSA	545-7354
8 Feb 00	CPT Trembley, M.	RTB	544-6114
9 Feb 00	MAJ Robinson, K.	11 th IN Regt	545-1312
9 Feb 00		BCTB	
10 Feb 00	MAJ Dubois, T.	ITB	544-9590
10 Feb 00	Cpt Versprille, T.	11 th IN Regt	545-7277
11 Feb 00	MAJ Banks, T.	11 th IN Regt	545-6198
11 Feb 00		AMU	

* INDICATES WEEKEND/HOLIDAY DUTIES

POC is SPC Santillanez, 545-5127.

3. STAFF DUTY CHAPLAIN: The Staff Duty Chaplain can be reached for emergencies during non-duty hours through the Staff Duty Officer, Infantry Hall, 545-2218.

4. FORT BENNING DPS EMERGENCY 911 CENTER: The Fort Benning DPS Emergency 911 Center continues to receive approximately three to ten 911 hang-up calls daily from children playing on the telephone. This causes unnecessary emergency responses potentially pulling needed resources away from real emergencies. The Military Police asks for the assistance of parents in helping us eliminate this type of behavior thereby preventing the unnecessary and costly disruption of emergency resources. POC is LTC Terry J. Kelley, 545-2898.

5. MILITARY POLICE: Official emergency telephone numbers for the Fort Benning MP Desk (911, 545-5222/3/4) are recorded for accuracy of record purposes (AR 190-30). POC is CPT Sides/MSG Jones, Law Enforcement Division, 545-4376.

6. TORNADO SIREN TEST: The installation will test the Tornado Siren System Saturday at 1200. The test will not occur in the event of bad weather. POC is Ms. Wade, DTS, 545-1711.

7. UNAUTHORIZED HANDLING OF DUD AMMUNITION: All ranges and training areas on the Fort Benning installation are particularly dangerous due to unexploded ammunitions. Persons who enter areas are in extreme danger, especially children, who are naturally curious and will pick up a harmless looking object, unaware of the danger in which they placed themselves. Sometimes merely walking in the area of dud ammunition will produce sufficient vibration to release the firing mechanism causing the shell to explode. Prevention instruction and adherence to safety regulations will help avoid the misery and grief accompanying an injury or death for dud ammunition accidents. Fort

Benning ranges and training areas are off limits to all unauthorized personnel. POC is Range Division, 545-1602.

8. OFF LIMITS ESTABLISHMENTS AND AREAS: Commanders and Soldiers assigned to Fort Benning are reminded that IAW USAIC Suppl 1 to AR 190-24, 21 Mar 97 the addresses and/or establishments listed below have been placed off limits by the Armed Forces Disciplinary Control Board to all military personnel within the Fort Benning area which includes Warner Robbins Air Logistic Base, Marietta, GA; Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, AL; Marine Corps Logistics Base, Albany, GA; and the U.S. Naval Reserve Center, Columbus, GA.

a. CLINCHFIELD, GA: The Pen Dixie Pit, Old Perry Road

b. COLUMBUS, GA: All Breed Dog Training Academy, 1302 Sandusky Drive; Mr. Transmission, 3137 Macon Road.
POC is SFC Downs, 545-5915.

9. DA OCS SELECTION BOARDS: The Army has approved an increase in the number of soldiers who may attend Officer Candidate School (OCS). It was necessary to revise the HQDA OCS board schedule in order to accommodate the increase in the number of Soldiers DA may select to attend OCS. The revised HQDA OCS board schedule is as follows:

a. **Board Three**, 12-16 Jun 00: Applications are due at PERSCOM NLT 12 May 00. Applications must be received by PSRD NLT 24 Mar 00. Fort Benning (Local Board) is from 3-7 Apr 00.

b. **Board Four**, 11-15 Sep 00: Applications are due at PERSCOM NLT 11 Aug 00. Applications must be received by PSRD NLT 23 Jun 00. Fort Benning (Local Board) is from 5-11 Jul 00. POC: Mrs. Clemons, 545-4702/3341.

10. SPECIAL FORCES RECRUITING: Special Forces is looking for professional enlisted and officer volunteers. If you are an enlisted Soldier with the rank SPC through SFC and a GT score of 100 or higher or you are a commissioned officer in year group 1993 through 1997, you may apply for Special Forces training. Are you up to a challenge of a lifetime? If so, you can be trained as a member of an A-Team! If you are a person who can accomplish the mission when others can't or won't, then Special Forces is for you. The time to act is now. Volunteer now and become one of America's most elite Soldiers. For more information on Special Forces, access the web page at: www-benning.army.mil/fbhome/SForce/index.html or contact your Special Forces Recruiting Team at (706) 545-3079 or DSN 835-3079. CPT Jarzen, SFC Boyer and SFC Wilson will answer all questions. POC is CPT Jarzen, Special Forces Recruiting Team, 545-3079.

11. RECLAMATION CLOTHING SALE: The Reclamation Clothing Sale will be held on Friday, 4 Feb, 1000-1400, Bldg 224. Sale items will be priced to 25 percent of acquisition cost rounded up to the nearest dollar. Each customer will be limited to \$150.00 total purchase. Payments will be accepted in the form of cash or personal checks. Persons authorized to purchase personal clothing at the sale include all active duty personnel of all branches of the Armed Forces. Sales to retired members of the Armed Forces are limited to Class A uniforms (including accessories) and dress shoes. Proper identification is required. POC is Mr. Wimmer, 545-1972.

12. DAC/NAF SUPERVISORS: Classes are available at your worksite to improve customer relations, decrease stress. Call Yvonne Wilbanks, 545-2475/1138.

13. INSTALLATION MENU BOARD MEETING: The Installation Menu Board Meeting will be held Thursday, 24 Feb, at the Cook School (Bldg 2760) at 0900. Attendance of all unit Food Advisors

and/or representative from all Food Service Activities is required. Food Advisors are encouraged to bring enlisted diners from their command to the Menu Board Meeting. POC is Mr. Hilton, 545-3750/7970.

14. THE SURVIVOR BENEFIT PLAN (SBP) OPEN ENROLLMENT:

The Survivor Benefit Plan (SBP) Open Enrollment Season is ending on 29 Feb. Military Retirees desiring to enroll in the Survivor Benefit Plan or increase their rate of participation during the SBP Open Enrollment Season must complete the Survivor Benefit Plan Open Enrollment Election, DD FORM 2656-3. All open enrollment elections must be received by the Director, DFAS-Cleveland Center, 1240 East 9th Street, Code FTBCB, Cleveland, OH 44199-2056, NLT 29 Feb 00. POC: Mrs. Friede McDonald, Chief, Retirement Separations Division, 545-2715.

15. VINCENNES UNIVERSITY: Winter 2000 weekend Courses:

a. An American History Course (3 credit hours) will be held on 26-27 Feb, 11-12 Mar, and 18-19 Mar in Bldg 4, CR 60. Cost of the course is \$270.00, of which the Army will pay \$202.50 if you are approved for Tuition Assistance.

b. "Computer Awareness" seminar (1 credit hour) will be held on 12-13 Feb, 0800-1630, Bldg 4, CR 32. Cost of the course is \$90.00; however, the Army will pay \$67.50 if you are approved for Tuition Assistance.

c. "Career Planning" seminar (1 credit hour) will be held on 26-27 Feb, 0800-1630, Bldg 4, CR 61. Cost of the course is \$90.00; however, the Army will pay \$67.50 if you are approved for Tuition Assistance.

To find out more about Vincennes Courses, call 689-0098 or visit our office, Bldg 2614, Soldiers' Plaza.

16. SINGLES RACQUETBALL TOURNAMENT: Singles Racquetball Tournament is scheduled on 11-13 Feb, Briant Wells Fitness Center. The deadline for registration is 8 Feb. Categories are Male over 40, Male Novice, and Female open. POC is Nancy Collins-Hadley, 545-4388.

17. YOUTH SERVICES AND THE BETTER OPPORTUNITY FOR SINGLE SOLDIERS (BOSS) VALENTINE GIFT SHOP:

Fort Benning Youth Services and the Better Opportunity for Single Soldiers (BOSS) Valentine Gift Shop is located in Youth Services, Bldg 1056. Hours of operation will be Mon-Fri, 0830-1700. Send your Valentine something special. Balloons, stuffed animals, candy and silk flower arrangements may be ordered. BOSS Soldiers will deliver (on post only), 545-3070.

18. ATTENTION COMMANDERS, FIRST SERGEANTS, AND TRAINING NCOs:

Take advantage of the Troy State Special College Course Program by enrolling your unit in college courses. This program is designed to give units the maximum opportunity to obtain college credits and promotion points. Courses are built around the unit's training schedule, taught at the unit's location, and usually given on the dates and times specified by command group. Continuing Education Courses in Excel, PowerPoint, Word, and Access are available for units and individuals. Tuition Assistance will be granted for these courses. For more information, contact Mr. Johnson at 685-9555.

19. NOTICE OF CONTRACTOR EMPLOYEES IN POST FAMILY HOUSING AREAS:

Contractor employees are scheduled to be in the Family Housing areas through approximately 25 Feb. Technicon Engineering, Inc. personnel will inspect randomly selected units throughout Family Housing to compile a list of maintenance and repair projects for long-range planning and budgeting. Family Housing residents will receive a flyer listing Technicon employees participating in the survey. All employees will present occupants with a letter of introduction and will wear a nametag bearing the company and employee's name. POC is Mr. Jim Webb, 545-2346.

20. PRESIDENTS' DAY HOLIDAY SCHEDULES:

a. **Yard Waste Schedule:** There will be no yard waste picked up in Family Housing on Monday, 21 Feb. The next scheduled yard waste pick up will be on the following Monday, 28 Feb.

b. **Refuse and Recycle Schedule:** There will be no refuse or recycle pick-ups on Monday, 21 Feb. Port, Kawamura, Fernandez Streets, and Indianhead Terrace areas normally scheduled for pick-up on Monday, will be picked up on Tuesday, 22 Feb. Refuse and recycle collection in Family Housing for Tuesday through Friday, 22-25 Feb, will be picked up as normally scheduled. POC is the DPW Construction Inspection Branch, 545-4232.

c. **Self Help (U-DO-IT) Center:** In observance of Presidents' Day (21 Feb) the Self Help Center, including the Loan Equipment Section and Venetian Blind & Shade Shop, will be closed on Saturday, 19 Feb through Monday, 21 Feb. The Self Help Center will reopen for business on Tuesday, 22 Feb at 0830. For additional information call Dr. William C. Shirley, 545-1121.

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21. BLACK HISTORY BREAKFAST: General Johnnie E. Wilson (Retired Army) will be the guest speaker at the Black History Breakfast on 21 Feb, 0730, at the Trade Center, Columbus, Georgia. Proceeds will benefit the House of Mercy. For ticket information, contact Dr. Henry Cook, Chairman, 322-3218. Tickets are \$25.00

22. CONTACT HELPLINE: Contact Helpline invites you to take part in a free training program leading to volunteer service with the 24 hour telephone helpline. To register call 327-3999.

23. FOR SALE: IBM Computer (E-Machine) Model 300K, AMKD-2 processor, 2.0 GIG hard drive, 56K Modem, CD-ROM, crystal sound card and speakers, USB support, SVGA monitor, Windows 98 and other numerous software. Asking \$600.00. Contact Mr. Alford, 568-4070, after 1600.

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